

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please delete the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 15:

~~-- This object has been achieved by the subject matter of claims 1 and 2,  
as defined for a client and a server, respectively. --~~

Please delete the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 21:

~~-- This object has been achieved by the subject matter of claims 3 and 4,  
as defined for a client and server, respectively. --~~

Please delete the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 29:

~~-- This object has been accomplished by claim 7. --~~

Please delete the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 33:

~~-- This object has been accomplished by claim 8 and 9. --~~